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TAGS: PGOV, PINT, WB  
SUBJECT: FUTURE OF FORMER GOVMAYOR SCHUETZ

1. THERE HAS BEEN CONSIDERABLE SPECULATION IN BERLIN ABOUT WHAT FUTURE HAS IN STORE FOR KLAUS SCHUETZ. ACCORDING TO FORMER SENAT SPOKESMAN STRUVE, SCHUETZ IS EXTREMELY BITTER ABOUT HIS OUSTER AS GOVERNING MAYOR. THEREFORE, IT IS CONSIDERED VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE THAT SHUETZ WOULD REVERSE HIMSELF AND AGREE TO SATY ON ASCHAIRMAN OF BERLIN SPD WHEN PARTEITAG CONVENES JUNE 4 (WHICH WOULD SIMPLIFY MATTERS FOR BERLIN SOCIAL DEMOCRATS SINCE THERE IS APT TO BE POLITICAL BLOODLETTING AND FURTHER LEFT/RIGHT-WING DIVISION OVER QUESTION OF SELECTING NEW CHAIRMAN).

2. MOST POLITICAL OBSERVES AGREE THAT SCHUETZ WILL RECEIVE AN AMBASSADORSHIP, PROBABLY WASHINGTON OR UN. PRINCIPAL REASON FOR THIS IS SAID TO BE GOOD RELATIONSHIP WHICH HAD ALWAYS EXISTED BETWEEN SCHUETZ AND FONMIN GENSCHER. IT HAS BEEN WIDELY SUGGESTED LOCALLY, HOWEVER, THAT NOTHING WILL HAPPEN ON SHUETZ FOR AT  
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LEAST FEW MONTHS. THIS PRESUMABLY BECAUSE OF POSSIBLITY OF HIS BEING INDICTED FOR ALLEGED PERJURED TESTIMONY TO PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSION INVESTIGATING KPM AFFAIR. HOWEVER, MAY 26 TAGESSPIEGEL REPORTED THAT BERLIN ATTORNEY GENERAL HAS DECIDED AFTER EXAMINATION OF RELEVANT TESTIMONY THAT THERE WAS NO GROUNDS FOR SUCH INDICTMENT. THIS COULD MEAN THAT SCHUETZ'

FUTURE PLANS MAY BECOME CLEARER SOONER THAN EXPECTED.

3. MAYOR LUEDER TOLD MISOFF AFTERNOON OF MAY 26 THAT HE HAD JUST  
SEEN GENSCHER (TO CLEAR GOVMAYORS STOBBE'S GOVERNMENT DECLARATION)  
AND WAS RELATIVELY CERTAIN THAT SHUETZ WOULD GET AN IMPORTANT  
AMBASSADORSHIP. LUEDER CONFIRMED THAT THERE WOULD BE NO  
PERJURY INDICTMENT. GEORGE

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